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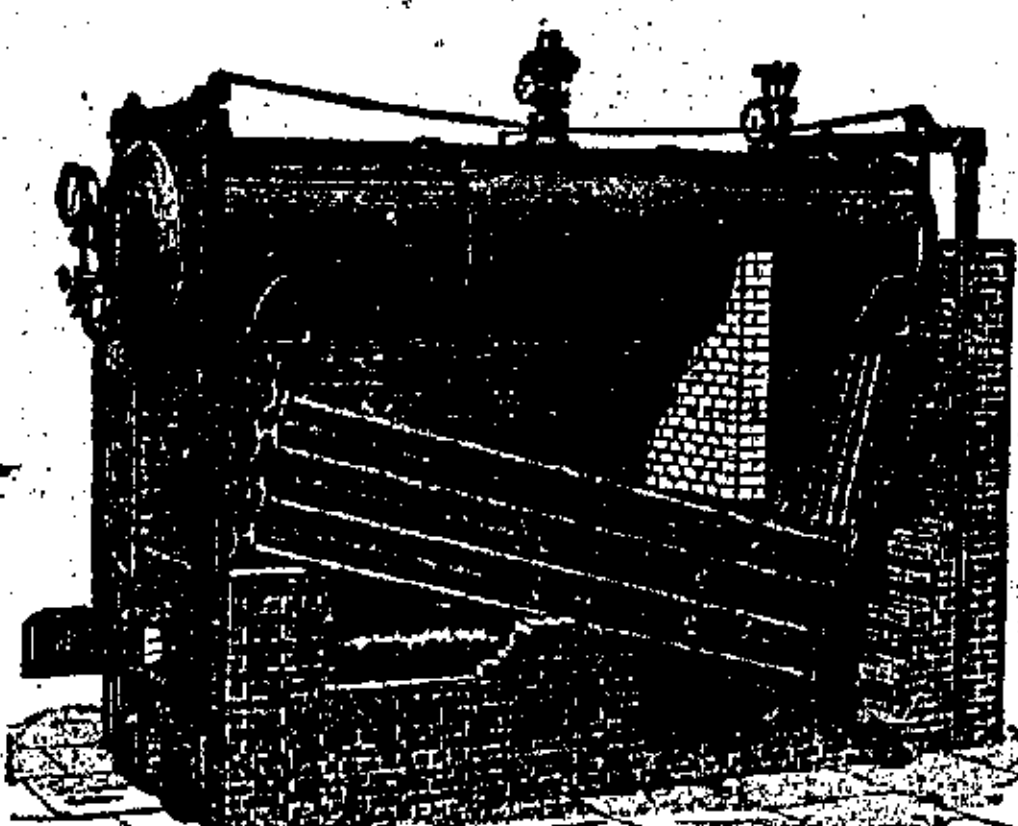
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Length ... 50 feet.
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Hongkong, December 6, 1899. 2923

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All Writing in Plain View. Standard
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Apply to 'L. H. L. & Co.,'
Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office,
Hongkong, December 6, 1899. 2924

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY,
LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE Third Ordinary Yearly MEETING
of SHAREHOLDERS in the above
Company will be held at the Company's
Tavern, 2, Albert Road, Hongkong,
on MONDAY, the 18th day of December,
at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the
Report of the Directors, and Statement of
Accounts to the 31st of July last.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 4th to the
15th December, both days inclusive.
W. HUTTON POTTS,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 30, 1899. 2922

ST. ANDREW'S HALL.
FOUND—A GOLD NECKLACE. The
owner may have same on application
to the
CHINA MAIL Office.
Hongkong, Dec. 5, 1899. 2904

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who holds a mortgage on
your property insists that
you carry fire insurance to
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Your wife should insist on
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2957

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SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at 8.30 for
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CHINA MAIL Office.
Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2958

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Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2959

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DUNNAN GOLD MINING
COMPANY, LIMITED.
RECONSTRUCTION.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
SHAREHOLDERS in the Old Company
are Reminded that unless they apply
for SHARES in the New Company on or
before the 15th Instant, they will FORFEIT
their right to any Shares in the New Com-
pany.
Applications should be sent in at once to the
Undersigned, from whom Forms can
be obtained.
Dated the 5th December, 1899.
LUTGENS, KINSMANN & Co.,
General Agents.
1655

JUST LANDED
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A Small Consignment of PINE-APPLE
BRAND, AUSTRALIAN FRESH STEAKY
BACON.
H. RUTONJEE,
19 and 15, D'Almeida Street, Hongkong,
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Hongkong, November 24, 1899. 2944

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FAMOUS
KILMARNOCK WHISKY.
This World-renowned
Fine Old Highland Whisky is shipped by
CUTLER, PALMER & Co., and is
obtainable in Hongkong of
G. C. ANDERSON,
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Hongkong, March 1, 1899. 516

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Chronometer, Watch & Clock-Makers,
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NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC and
METEOROLOGICAL
INSTRUMENTS.
VOYAGERS' CELEBRATED
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Captain E. FAY, will be despatched for the
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For Freight or Passage, apply to
D. SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2631

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOSHOW.

THE Company's Steamship
HAIFAN,
Captain ROACH, will be despatched for the
above Port on TUESDAY, the 12th
Inst., at Daylight.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2653

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE Company's Steamship
KIKUANG,
Captain ARNO, will be despatched as
above on TUESDAY, the 12th Inst.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2649

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship
IDONEUS,
Captain RILEY, will be despatched as
above on TUESDAY, the 12th December.
For Freight, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, November 10, 1899. 2499

FOR MANILA.

(Taking Cargo at Through Rates for HIOLO
and CEBU).
THE Steamship
SALVADORA,
Captain GOTTOW, will be despatched as
above on WEDNESDAY, the 13th Inst.,
at 6 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BRANDAO & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2651

SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship
TAICHOW,
Captain PHINOS, will be despatched as
above on THURSDAY, the 14th Inst., at
10 a.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2647

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR NINGPO.

THE Company's Steamship
SZECHUEN,
Captain HALL, will be despatched as
above on THURSDAY, the 14th Inst.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2648

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

(Not Calling at LONDON).
THE Company's Steamship
TANTALUS,
Captain DARTLEY, will be despatched on
taking cargo to LIVERPOOL, at LONDON
rates.
For Freight, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, November 24, 1899. 2545

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA & KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship
GISELA,
Captain F. MOSES, will leave for the above
places on SATURDAY, the 16th Inst.,
at Noon.
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SANDER, WIELER & Co.,
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Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2633

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IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI,
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Agents.

Hongkong, December 8, 1899. 264

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(Taking Cargo at through rates to
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Sea, Black Sea, Levant,
and Australia Ports).
THE Company's Steamship
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Captain C. BRILL, will be despatched as
above on FRIDAY, the 15th Inst., at the
Afternoon.

Silk and Valuables are transhipped on
arrival at Bombay into an accelerated liner,
for information as to Passage and
Freight, apply to
SANDER, WIELER & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2650

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship
CAPTAIN WILLIAMS, will be despatched as
above on WEDNESDAY, the 20th Inst.,
at Noon.
The attention of Passengers is directed to
the Superior Accommodation offered by this
Steamer. First Class Saloon is situated
forward of the Engines.
A duly qualified Surgeon is carried and
the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric
Light.

For Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 5, 1899. 2532

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND
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THE Company's Steamship
CHINGTU,
Captain WILLIAMS, will be despatched on
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Company to and from AUSTRALIA are avail-
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Eastern and Australian S.S. Co. and
vice versa.

For Passage or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

Hongkong, November 23, 1899. 2633

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR SAMARANG AND SOERABAYA.

THE Company's Steamship
SHANSI,
Captain CARVER, will be despatched as
above on FRIDAY, the 22nd December.
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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
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Hongkong, December 9, 1899. 2646

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

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Hongkong, December 7, 1899. 2633

Shipping.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship
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Captain DICKEN, will be despatched as
above on TUESDAY, the 26th Inst.
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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 5, 1899. 2615

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FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship
ASAMA,
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about 27th December.
To be followed by
The Steamship
QUEEN ELEANOR,
about the 10th January, 1900.
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Hongkong, December 8, 1899. 2522

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NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES
MARITIMES.

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MADRAS, CALCUTTA, DIBOUTI,
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via Port of Call, WITHOUT TRANSHIPMENT.
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p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the
17th December. (Parcels are not to be
sent on board; they must be left at the
Agency's Office).
Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.
For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, December 4, 1899. 2611

CALIFORNIA AND ORIENTAL
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.IN CONNECTION WITH THE
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is required.

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despatched to Points beyond San Diego,
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addressed to the Collector of Customs, San
Diego.
For further information as to Freight or
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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
HONGKONG, CHINA & JAPAN.
Hongkong, December 6, 1899. 2614

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PATENT SMOKELESS SPORTING
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Hongkong, October 31, 1899. 2538

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Care of 'China Mail' Office.

Hongkong, November 25, 1899. 2551

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M. I. M. E., M. I. M. E. E., London.
DONALD MACDONALD,
Hongkong, May 28, 1898. 1063

Mails.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES

named—

FOR. STEAMSHIP. CAPTAIN. DATE.

LONDON...Japan...C. K. WRIGHT, R.N.R...About 14th Dec.

LONDON, &...Canton...F. W. VIDERT, R.N.R...Noon, 2nd Dec.

SHANGHAI...Mastia...C. YADD...About 23rd Dec.

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Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	T.H.P.	Captain.	Last reported at.
Albatross	despatch-vessel	1700	10	3000	Comdr. A. H. Smith-Dorrion	Hongkong
Aurora	ship	1050	6	1400	Commander E. J. W. Slade	Hongkong
Barfleur	armoured cruiser, 1st class	10,500	12	8500	Captain E. H. Bayly	Hongkong
Bonaventure	battleship, 1st class	10,500	14	13,000	Hon.-S. J. C. Colville, C.B.	Hongkong
Brisak	cruiser, 2nd class	3000	10	3000	Capt. R. A. MacGregor, C.B.	Hongkong
Bombardier	cruiser, 2nd class	1770	6	3500	Com. R. B. S. Wrey	Canton
Daphne	battleship, 1st class	10,500	14	13,000	Capt. J. H. Jelliffe	Singapore
Endymion	ship	1140	8	3000	Comdr. C. W. Wintington-Ingram	Nagasaki
Essex	cruiser, 1st class	7330	12	10,000	Capt. G. A. Callaghan	Hongkong
Fame	g.-lt. 3rd class coast defence	365	3	200	Lt.-Com. C. Chadwick	Shanghai
Firebrand	torpedo boat destroyer	450	4	300	Lieut.-Com. R. J. Keyes	Hongkong
Hamlet	gunboat, 2nd class	275	6	400	—	Hongkong
Hunt	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	400	—	Hongkong
Humber	storeship	1640	—	1640	—	Masapo
Iphigenia	cruiser, 2nd class	3930	8	9000	Capt. H. J. Davison	Hongkong
Liaunt	gun-vessel, 2nd class	2	2	870	Capt. H. N. Dudding	Hongkong
Orlando	armoured cruiser, 1st class	8000	12	8500	Com. Wm. W. Smythe	Yuechow
Panama	gunboat, 1st class	735	6	1200	Captain J. H. J. Keyes	Canton
Pleasant	gunboat	1915	—	—	Lieut.-Com. J. G. Armstrong	Manila
Pigmy	gunboat, 1st class	765	6	1200	Commander Lochan	Hongkong
Plover	gunboat, 1st class	765	6	1200	Lieut.-Com. J. F. Green	Wohaiwei
Rudolph	gunboat	805	6	1200	Lt.-Com. C. V. de M. Cowper	Manila
Sandpiper	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lt.-Com. F. F. Haworth Booth	Shanghai
Snap	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lieut.-Comdr. H. C. Carr	West River
Swift	gun-vessel, 2nd class	765	2	870	Lieut.-Comdr. Oldham	Xangjee River
Tamar	receiving ship	4550	—	—	—	Hongkong
Twoed	g.-lt. 3rd class coast defence	365	2	200	Commodore Francis Powell	Hongkong
Undaunted	armoured cruiser, 1st class	10,500	12	8500	Lt.-Com. Hon. L. Forbes Sempill	West River
Victorious	battleship, 1st class	14,915	13	12,800	Capt. A. C. Clarke	Manila
Whitewitch	Surveying ship	623	—	450	Comdr. W. P. Dawson	Obatawai
Whiting	torpedo boat destroyer	369	6	5900	Lieut.-Com. E. Kelly	Poohong
Wivern	coast-defence, armoured	2750	4	1063	—	Hongkong
Woodcock	river gunboat	150	2	500	Lieut.-Com. H. P. S. Watson	Shanghai
Woolmark	river gunboat	150	2	500	—	Shanghai

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Presidente Sarmiento	Argentine training vessel	2350	—	—	Captain Diebolder	Singapore	—	25	\$32,291	Branch, Nov. 19.—The Branch Parsons met to-day in the Mariavale Fire Temple to offer prayers for granting the victory to the Imperial troops in the Transvaal and for an honourable and speedy peace. Prayers were also offered for a mitigation of the famine. Loyal speeches were made, and hearty cheers were given for the permanency of the British rule.	Mr and Mrs J. An-Mrs Geo. Lawless draw Mr H. Berkley Lieut. Richter Capt. Mrs Frank-Lieut. S. H. Schulze, ton Captain F. Grapow, Mr H. Shoolbred L.G.N. Lieutenant Symanski, Mrs A. F. Greig L.G.N. Capt. Von Johansson, Mr Franz Urbig L.G.N.	Gap Rock 30.08 Masao 30.09 71 Halphong 30.08 84 84 Malate 30.08 84 84 Escalod 30.08 84 84 Tleio 30.08 84 84 Cebu 30.08 84 84 S. H. James 30.08 84 84
Aspic	French gunboat	475	3	450	Commander Joaze	Saigon	—	—	—	A SURE CURE FOR CROUP.	—	Wakoback 7.11.29.00 21
D'Entrecasteaux	French flag ship	4000	14	8500	Captain de Marcell	Kwongchawau	—	—	—	—	—	Tokio 0.11.29.00 21
Desbarres	French cruiser	4000	14	8500	Capt. Philibert	Kwongchawau	—	—	—	—	—	Kochi 29.00 21
Edouard	French cruiser	4000	14	8500	Capt. Tardieu	Nagasaki	—	—	—	—	—	Nagasaki 30.00 21
Jean Bart	French cruiser	4000	14	8500	Capt. Aubin	Saigon	—	—	—	—	—	Kagoshima 30.00 21
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Léon	French gunboat	475	3	450	Capt. de la Motte du Portail	Shanghai	—	—	—	—	—	Taiwan 30.11 21
Pascal	French cruiser	4000	14	8500	Captain Blotet	Kwongchawau	—	—	—	—	—	Kochi 30.11 21
Surprise	French gunboat	638	3	900	Captain Blotet	Kwongchawau	—	—	—	—	—	Pensacola 30.11 21
Vauban	French cruiser	4000	14	8500	Captain Blotet	Kwongchawau	—	—	—	—	—	Shark Pt. 30.11 21
Deutschland	German ironclad	8000	—	8000	Captain Muller	Bangkok	—	—	—	—	—	Amoy 30.11 21
Gedion	German cruiser	4100	10	9000	Captain Rollmann	Bangkok	—	—	—	—	—	Sawato 30.11 21
Hansa	German cruiser	5500	30	10,000	Captain Pohl	Hongkong	—	—	—	—	—	Canton 30.11 21
Hertha	German cruiser	6000	0	10,000	Captain Pohl	Hongkong	—	—	—	—	—	Hongkong 30.11 21
Hertha	German gunboat	600	0	10	Commander W. Laris	Kiachoo	—	—	—	—	—	Gap Rock 30.11 21
Irene	German cruiser	4200	8	2900	Commander Oberheimler	Nagasaki	—	—	—	—	—	Macao 30.11 21
Kaiserin Augusta	German cruiser	6381	21	14,000	Captain Gillich	Shanghai	—	—	—	—	—	Halphong 30.11 21
Karlo Alberto	Italian cruiser	6381	19	13,000	Capt. Roberto	Woomung	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carlo	Italian cruiser	2732	12	6500	Capt. Cecani	Shanghai	—	—	—	—	—	—
Etna	Italian cruiser	3530	10	6983	Capt. Giovanni Di vello	Hongkong	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liguria	Italian cruiser	3300	10	6983	Capt. Cassella	Shanghai	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sironboli	Italian cruiser	2988	12	6151	Captain Constantino	Hongkong	—	—	—	—	—	—
Africa	Portuguese transport	1400	—	—	Capt. Yencu Carvalho	Macao	—	—	—	—	—	—
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